missions have been advised to grant visas only after careful screening and scrutiny of the applications.

Projects sanctioned for AP

2581. DR. DASARI NARAYANA RAO: Will the Minister of NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency (IREDA) has sanctioned any projects for Andhra Pradesh;

(b) if so, the details thereof for the last three years, year-wise; and

(c) what results were achieved from these projects in the State?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI M. KANNAPPAN): (a) to (c) Yes Sir. Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency (IREDA) has so far sanctioned a total of 235 projects in the State of Andhra Pradesh. During the last three years, IREDA has sanctioned 93 projects with an aggregate capacity of 252.29 MW and coal saving capacity of 76873 metric tonnes per annum, out of which 39 projects with an aggregate capacity of 85.5 MW and coal saving capacity of 60500 metric tonnes per annum have been commissioned. The year-wise details of the projects sanctioned are given in the Statement.

Statement

Details of the projects sanctioned by IREDA in the State of Andhra Pradesh during the last three years.

Sector	1999-2000		2000-2001		2001-2002	
	No. of Projects	Capacity	No. of Projects	Capacity	No. of Projects	Capacity
Wind Energy	—	—	3	17.15 MW	—	—
Small Hydro	15	32.5 MW	5	17.8 MW	1	4.7 MW
Energy Efficiency and Conservation	2	2.8 MW	2	1.1 MW 6080 MTCR	1	0.76 MW+ 4788 MTCR
Solar Photovoltaic	15	0.66 MW	8	0.69 MW	4	0.13 MW
Solar Thermal	—	—	2	268 MTCR	2	112 MTCR
Biomass Power	6	33.5 MW	8	44 MW	1	—
Briquetting	1	5250 MTCR	—	—	1	5250 MTCR
Waste to Energy	1	55125 MTCR	—	—	4	19 MW
Cogeneration	4	46 MW	4	30 MW	—	—
Biomethanation			1	1.5 MW	—	—
Miscellaneous	2	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL:	46	115.46 MW 60375 MTCR	33	112.24 MW 6348 MTCR	14	24.59 MW 10150 MTCR

MW — Mega Watt

MTCR — Metric Tonne Coal Replacement